

**AMENDMENT**

**In the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

**On page 1 of the specification, under the title, please insert:**

**--Cross-Reference to Related Applications**

C1  
This Application is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 09/226,075 filed 6 January 1999 and now abandoned which claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of provisional application 60/070,717 filed 7 January 1998.--

**In the Claims:**

Please amend the claims as follows:

**Please replace the presently pending claims with the following claims:**

C2  
56. (Twice amended) A method to ameliorate a side effect of anti-neoplasia treatment in a subject, wherein said side effect is mucositis, which subject is undergoing treatment with an anti-neoplasia agent, which method comprises administering to said subject a pharmaceutical composition comprising muramyl tripeptide phosphatidyl ethanolamine (MTP-PE) encapsulated in multilamellar liposomes.

Please cancel claims 58-60.